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GOV. EASLEY APPOINTS JONES TO CENTRAL PIEDMONT COMMUNITY COLLEGE BOARD

RALEIGH – Gov. Mike Easley has appointed **Rich Jones** of Charlotte to the Central Piedmont Community College Board of Trustees.

Jones is the strategic sourcing executive for enterprise at Bank of America. He is a member of the Supply Chain Management Curriculum Committee at Howard University, the Urban League of Central Carolinas and the Carolina Minority Supplier Development Council. Jones received a Bachelor's degree in marketing from Temple University in Philadelphia, Pa. and a Master's degree in business from Thunderbird, The American Graduate School of International Management in Glendale, Ariz.

The board elects the president, employs personnel, purchases land necessary for the operation of the college, applies standards for admission and graduation, receives gifts and donations, provides for the administration of all educational and occupational services and establishes or enters into public or private partnerships for the support of the institution. The board has 12 members, each serving a four-year term. The governor appoints four members. The local board of education and county commissioners each appoint four members.

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